

# County of Los Angeles CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICE

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

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The Honorable Board of Supervisors County of Los Angeles 383 Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration 500 West Temple Street Los Angeles, CA 90012

Dear Supervisors:

February 14, 2012

ORDINANCE TO AMEND TITLE 1 – GENERAL PROVISIONS OF THE COUNTY CODE: TO PROVIDE FOR A TECHNICAL ADJUSTMENT TO THE BOUNDARIES OF THE FIRST AND FOURTH SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICTS TO TRANSFER AMIGO COUNTY PARK FROM THE FIRST TO THE FOURTH SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT (ALL DISTRICTS) (4 VOTES)

#### SUBJECT

Recommend approval of an ordinance amending the Boundary Ordinance of the County of Los Angeles to make a technical adjustment to the Supervisorial boundaries, transferring Amigo County Park from the First District to the Fourth District. The transfer of Amigo County Park from the First to the Fourth District was originally approved by the Board in 2007, but was inadvertently moved back to the First District in the Redistricting Plan approved by the Board on September 27, 2011.

#### IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT YOUR BOARD:

 Approve the introduction of an ordinance amending the Boundary Ordinance of the County of Los Angeles County Code to make a technical adjustment to the Supervisorial boundaries, transferring Amigo County Park from the First District to the Fourth District. The Honorable Board of Supervisors February 14, 2012 Page 2

#### PURPOSE/JUSTIFICATION OF RECOMMENDED ACTION

The purpose of this recommended action is to re-implement the transfer of Amigo County Park from the First District to the Fourth District as initially approved by your Board on July 24, 2007. The Redistricting Plan approved by your Board on September 27, 2011, inadvertently moved Amigo County Park (contained in Census Tract 5004.03) from the Fourth District to the First District, essentially reversing the previous action taken by your Board. In order to comply with your Board's action of July 24, 2007, a technical amendment the Boundary Ordinance must be approved by your Board. To accomplish this, an ordinance, approved as to form by County Counsel needs to be adopted by your Board to adjust the Supervisorial boundaries to transfer Amigo County Park from the First District to the Fourth District.

## Implementation of Strategic Plan Goals

This action supports Goal 1, Operational Effectiveness.

## FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING

This recommendation will not have any discernable fiscal impact.

### FACTS AND PROVISIONS/LEGAL REQUIREMENTS

In accordance with procedures set forth in Elections Code, Section 21500, et seq., on September 27, 2011, your Board adopted Ordinance No. 2011-0058 to adjust the Supervisorial district boundaries in accordance with the 2010 Federal Decennial Census. During the redistricting process, your Board considered, among other things, the cohesiveness, contiguity, integrity, and compactness of territory and community of interest of the Supervisorial districts. Consistent with these redistricting principles, efforts were made to keep individual cities intact and not divided between Supervisorial districts, keeping in mind that exceptions may be warranted under certain circumstances.

One such exception is Amigo County Park, located at 5700 South Juarez Avenue (Assessor Parcel Numbers 8130-024-004, 8130-024-812, 8130-024-812, 8130-024-904, and 8130-024-908) in the City of Pico Rivera. Although the City of Pico Rivera is located in the First District, Amigo County Park is bordered by a river, railroad track, and a freeway making direct access available only through the Fourth District, and therefore aligned more closely with the geographical boundaries and community of interest of the Fourth District. As such, your Board adopted Ordinance 2007-0086 on July 24, 2007 moving Amigo County Park to the Fourth District. However, due to staff oversight, the recent redistricting plan adopted by your Board on September 27, 2011, inadvertently moved Amigo County Park back to the First District.

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In order to move Amigo County Park back to the Fourth District as intended in 2007, the boundaries of the First and Fourth Districts must be changed though the adoption of a technical amendment to the County Ordinance. The amendment will transfer only that portion of Census Tract 5004.03 containing Amigo County Park from the First Supervisorial District to the Fourth Supervisorial District. The area involved in the boundary adjustment is non-populated, and therefore will not result in population change to any of the Supervisorial Districts. The adjustment will also not affect the term of any Board member, or infringe on the voting rights of any resident.

## **IMPACT ON CURRENT SERVICES (OR PROJECTS)**

There is no known impact on current services and programs provided at Amigo County Park.

Respectfully submitted,

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